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- 1. PROVINCIAL HIGHWAY OFFICIAL ADVISES CONGEN LATEST CHECK WITH PROVINCIAL HIGHWAYS OFFICE FORT ST. JOHN INDICATES ONLY REMAINING PROBLEM TRAFFIC ALASKA HIGHWAY IS SECTION OF ROAD AT BRIDGE AT RACING RIVER SOME TWENTY-FIVE MILES SOUTH OF MUNCHO LAKE. MUNCHO LAKE IS ABOUT 150 MILES NORTHWEST OF FORT NELSON, B.C. TRAFFIC SOUTH OF RACING RIVER CAN NOW MOVE, HOWEVER, TRAFFIC NORTH OF THE RIVER CANNOT MOVE SOUTH DUE TO DAMAGED APPROACH TO BRIDGE. IT IS EXPECTED THAT TEMPORARY REPAIRS TO BRIDGE APPROACH MAY BE COMPLETED BY JULY 25TH.
- 2. NEWSPAPER REPORTS FROM AREA INDICATE HIGHWAY NORTH OF MUNCHO LAKE OPEN TO STRANDED TOURISTS JULY 21ST WISHING GO NORTH TO WATSON LAKE, YUKON, HOWEVER SOME 170 PERSONS WISHING TRAVEL SOUTH STILL STRANDED BETWEEN MUNCHO LAKE AND RACING RIVER BUT THEY REMAIN CAMPED AROUND MUNCHO LAKE LODGE AUTHORITIES HAVE FLOWN IN TWO SOCIAL WORKERS UNCLASSIFIED

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